

## CHANGES IN PRODUCER PRICES FOR FINISHED GOODS

[Percent change from preceding period; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted by NSA]

| Period                    | Change from preceding period |                |                 |                   | Change from 3 months earlier, annual rate |                |                 |                   | Change from 6 months earlier, annual rate |                |                 |                   | Change from year earlier, total finished goods NSA |  |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|--|--|
|                           | Total finished goods         | Consumer goods |                 | Capital equipment | Total finished goods                      | Consumer goods |                 | Capital equipment | Total finished goods                      | Consumer goods |                 | Capital equipment |  |  |
|                           |                              | Foods          | Excluding foods |                   |   | Foods          | Excluding foods |                   |   | Foods          | Excluding foods |                   |  |  |
| Change, Dec. to Dec., NSA |                              |                |                 |                   |   |                |                 |                   |   |                |                 |                   |  |  |
| 1991 .....                | -0.1                         | -1.5           | -0.7            | 2.5               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 2.1  |  |
| 1992 .....                | 1.6                          | 1.6            | 1.6             | 1.7               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 1.2  |  |
| 1993 .....                | .2                           | 2.4            | -1.4            | 1.8               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 1.2  |  |
| 1994 .....                | 1.7                          | 1.1            | 2.0             | 2.0               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .6   |  |
| 1995 .....                | 2.3                          | 1.9            | 2.3             | 2.2               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 1.9  |  |
| 1996 .....                | 2.8                          | 3.4            | 3.7             | .4                | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 2.7  |  |
| 1997 .....                | -1.2                         | -.8            | -1.5            | -.6               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .4   |  |
| 1998 .....                | 0                            | .1             | -.1             | 0                 | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | -.8  |  |
| 1999 .....                | 2.9                          | .8             | 5.1             | .3                | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 1.8  |  |
| 2000 <sup>p</sup> .....   | 3.6                          | 1.7            | 5.4             | 1.2               | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | .....                                     | .....          | .....           | .....             | 3.8  |  |
| Change, month to month    |                              |                |                 |                   |   |                |                 |                   |   |                |                 |                   |  |  |
| 1999: Dec .....           | 0.1                          | 0              | 0.2             | 0.1               | 0.9                                       | -2.0           | 2.1             | 1.2               | 3.8                                       | 0.6            | 6.8             | 0.7               | 2.9  |  |
| 2000: Jan .....           | .1                           | .2             | 0               | .1                | 1.2                                       | 0              | 1.8             | .9                | 3.5                                       | 1.9            | 5.3             | 1.3               | 2.5  |  |
| Feb .....                 | 1.1                          | .5             | 1.8             | 0                 | 5.5                                       | 3.0            | 8.3             | 1.2               | 4.5                                       | 1.9            | 7.3             | 1.2               | 4.0  |  |
| Mar .....                 | .7                           | .1             | 1.2             | .1                | 7.9                                       | 3.6            | 12.8            | .9                | 4.4                                       | .7             | 7.3             | 1.0               | 4.3  |  |
| Apr .....                 | -.4                          | 1.1            | -1.1            | .1                | 6.1                                       | 7.3            | 8.0             | .6                | 3.6                                       | 3.6            | 4.9             | .7                | 3.6  |  |
| May .....                 | .1                           | -.2            | .1              | .2                | 1.8                                       | 4.2            | 1.2             | 1.5               | 3.6                                       | 3.6            | 4.7             | 1.3               | 3.7  |  |
| June .....                | .9                           | -.2            | 1.8             | 0                 | 2.3                                       | 2.7            | 3.2             | 1.2               | 5.1                                       | 3.1            | 7.9             | 1.0               | 4.4  |  |
| July .....                | .1                           | -.1            | 0               | .1                | 4.2                                       | -2.3           | 7.8             | 1.5               | 5.1                                       | 2.4            | 7.9             | 1.0               | 4.3  |  |
| Aug <sup>r</sup> .....    | -.4                          | -.7            | -.4             | .1                | 2.4                                       | -4.0           | 5.7             | 1.2               | 2.1                                       | 0              | 3.4             | 1.3               | 3.3  |  |
| Sept .....                | .8                           | .2             | 1.3             | .1                | 2.0                                       | -2.3           | 3.8             | 1.7               | 2.2                                       | .1             | 3.5             | 1.5               | 3.3  |  |
| Oct .....                 | .4                           | .8             | .4              | 0                 | 3.2                                       | 1.5            | 5.6             | 1.2               | 3.7                                       | -.4            | 6.7             | 1.3               | 3.6  |  |
| Nov .....                 | .1                           | .2             | .1              | 0                 | 5.3                                       | 5.1            | 7.4             | -.6               | 3.8                                       | .4             | 6.5             | .9                | 3.7  |  |
| Dec .....                 | 0                            | -.4            | 0               | .2                | 2.0                                       | 2.7            | 2.0             | .9                | 2.0                                       | .1             | 2.9             | 1.3               | 3.6  |  |

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

## CHANGES IN CONSUMER PRICES—ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

[Percent change from preceding period; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted by NSA]

| Period                            | All items <sup>1</sup> | Food | Housing            |                    |                     |                    | Ap-parel | Transportation     |          |            |              | Medi- cal care | Ener- gy <sup>2</sup> | All items less food and energy | Addendum: All items, percent change (annual rate) |                       |                       |                       |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------|--------------------|----------|------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|
|                                   |                        |      | Shelter            |                    | Fuels and utilities | Total <sup>1</sup> |          | Total <sup>1</sup> | New cars | Motor fuel | Medical care |                |                       |                                | From previous quarter <sup>3</sup>                | From 3 months earlier | From 6 months earlier | From year earlier NSA |  |  |  |  |
|                                   |                        |      | Total <sup>1</sup> | Total <sup>1</sup> |                     |                    |          |                    |          |            |              |                |                       |                                |   |                       |                       |                       |  |  |  |  |
| Change, December to December, NSA |                        |      |                    |                    |                     |                    |          |                    |          |            |              |                |                       |                                |   |                       |                       |                       |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 .....                        | 3.1                    | 1.9  | 3.4                | 3.9                | 2.9                 | 3.6                | 2.9      | 3.4                | -1.5     | 3.3        | -160         | 7.9            | -7.4                  | 4.4                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 4.2                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1992 .....                        | 2.9                    | 1.5  | 2.6                | 2.9                | 2.3                 | 3.0                | 2.3      | 1.4                | 3.0      | 2.3        | 1.8          | 6.6            | 2.0                   | 3.3                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 3.0                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1993 .....                        | 2.7                    | 2.9  | 2.7                | 3.0                | 2.2                 | 3.2                | 2.5      | .9                 | 2.4      | 2.8        | -5.4         | 5.4            | -1.4                  | 3.2                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 3.0                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1994 .....                        | 2.7                    | 2.9  | 2.2                | 3.0                | 2.5                 | 3.3                | .2       | -1.6               | 3.8      | 3.2        | 5.9          | 4.9            | 2.2                   | 2.6                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 2.6                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1995 .....                        | 2.5                    | 2.1  | 3.0                | 3.5                | 2.5                 | 3.6                | 1.4      | .1                 | 1.5      | 1.6        | -4.0         | 3.9            | -1.3                  | 3.0                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 2.8                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1996 .....                        | 3.3                    | 4.3  | 2.9                | 2.9                | 2.8                 | 2.8                | 4.6      | -.2                | 4.4      | 1.6        | 12.7         | 3.0            | 8.6                   | 2.6                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 3.0                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1997 .....                        | 1.7                    | 1.5  | 2.4                | 3.4                | 3.1                 | 3.1                | .5       | 1.0                | -1.4     | -1.0       | -6.2         | 2.8            | -3.4                  | 2.2                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 2.3                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1998 .....                        | 1.6                    | 2.3  | 2.3                | 3.3                | 3.4                 | 3.2                | -2.6     | -.7                | -1.7     | -.1        | -15.4        | 3.4            | -8.8                  | 2.4                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 1.6                   |  |  |  |  |
| 1999 .....                        | 2.7                    | 1.9  | 2.2                | 2.5                | 3.1                 | 2.4                | 2.4      | -.5                | 5.4      | -.8        | 30.2         | 3.7            | 13.4                  | 1.9                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 2.2                   |  |  |  |  |
| 2000 .....                        | 3.4                    | 2.8  | 4.3                | 3.4                | 4.0                 | 3.4                | 12.1     | -1.8               | 4.1      | .3         | 13.9         | 4.2            | 14.2                  | 2.6                            | .....   | .....                 | .....                 | 3.4                   |  |  |  |  |
| Change, month to month            |                        |      |                    |                    |                     |                    |          |                    |          |            |              |                |                       |                                |   |                       |                       |                       |  |  |  |  |
| 1999: Dec .....                   | 0.2                    | 0.1  | 0.1                | 0.1                | 0.3                 | 0.2                | -0.5     | 0                  | 0.8      | -0.1       | 5.0          | 0.4            | 1.8                   | 0.1                            | 2.9   | 2.4                   | 3.2                   | 2.7                   |  |  |  |  |
| 2000: Jan .....                   | .2                     | -.1  | .5                 | .5                 | .5                  | .5                 | .5       | -1.1               | .1       | -.2        | 1.5          | .3             | 1.0                   | .2                             | .....   | 2.6                   | 3.0                   | 2.7                   |  |  |  |  |
| Feb .....                         | .5                     | .4   | .5                 | .3                 | .3                  | .3                 | 2.6      | .2                 | 1.3      | 0          | 6.2          | .4             | 4.6                   | .2                             | .....   | 4.1                   | 3.5                   | 3.2                   |  |  |  |  |
| Mar .....                         | .7                     | .1   | .4                 | .5                 | .3                  | .3                 | -.4      | .3                 | 2.5      | .2         | 11.3         | .5             | 4.9                   | .4                             | 4.3   | 6.1                   | 4.2                   | 3.8                   |  |  |  |  |
| Apr .....                         | 0                      | -.1  | .1                 | .2                 | .2                  | .2                 | -.2      | -.5                | -.7      | .3         | -4.1         | .3             | -1.9                  | .2                             | .....   | 5.1                   | 3.8                   | 3.1                   |  |  |  |  |
| May .....                         | .1                     | .5   | .2                 | .3                 | .3                  | .2                 | -.1      | -.2                | -.5      | .1         | -3.6         | .3             | -1.9                  | .2                             | .....   | 3.3                   | 3.7                   | 3.2                   |  |  |  |  |
| June .....                        | .5                     | .1   | .5                 | .3                 | .2                  | .3                 | 2.2      | -.6                | 1.8      | 0          | 8.8          | .4             | 5.6                   | .2                             | 3.6   | 2.6                   | 4.3                   | 3.7                   |  |  |  |  |
| July .....                        | .2                     | .5   | .3                 | .2                 | .4                  | .1                 | 1.6      | -1.0               | -.3      | .1         | -1.9         | .3             | -.1                   | .2                             | .....   | 3.5                   | 4.3                   | 3.7                   |  |  |  |  |
| Aug .....                         | -.1                    | .2   | .2                 | .3                 | .3                  | .3                 | -.1      | -.2                | -1.1     | -.1        | -5.9         | .4             | -2.9                  | .2                             | .....   | 2.8                   | 3.1                   | 3.4                   |  |  |  |  |
| Sept .....                        | .5                     | .2   | .4                 | .2                 | .4                  | .3                 | 2.0      | 1.6                | 1.0      | -.2        | 5.4          | .4             | 3.8                   | .3                             | 3.1   | 2.8                   | 2.7                   | 3.5                   |  |  |  |  |
| Oct .....                         | .2                     | .1   | .5                 | .4                 | .4                  | .3                 | 1.3      | .3                 | -4       | -.2        | -1.4         | .3             | -.2                   | .2                             | .....   | 2.6                   | 3.1                   | 3.4                   |  |  |  |  |
| Nov .....                         | .2                     | 0    | .2                 | .3                 | .3                  | .3                 | .1       | -.4                | 3        | .1         | .3           | 2              | .1                    | .3                             | .....   | 3.5                   | 3.2                   | 3.4                   |  |  |  |  |
| Dec .....                         | .2                     | .5   | .2                 | .1                 | .4                  | .3                 | 1.5      | -.4                | -.1      | -.1        | 1.7          | .3             | .2                    | .1                             | 2.8   | 2.1                   | 2.5                   | 3.4                   |  |  |  |  |

<sup>1</sup> Includes items not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> Quarterly changes are shown in the last month of the quarter.

<sup>2</sup> Household fuels—gas (piped), electricity, fuel oil, etc.—and motor fuel. Motor oil, coolant, etc., excluded beginning 1983.

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